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re the payment of the proportionate increase of rates to the Incumbents on their Toddy Contract for the Mysore District.

To. The Commissioner Ashtagram Division
Messrs. Brooke and Co: Govt. Contractors
Mysore Dt.

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To Govt Advocate Jaffna

Mysore District

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From

Messrs Brown and Roach
Government Abkary Contract
Mysore District

To. The Secretary to the
Chief Commissioner of Mys

Sir,

There seems to be some mis-
-understanding as regards the pro-
-portionate increase of rates to be
paid to Inamdars on our toddy
Contract for the Mysore District
In the 22nd article of our Contract
Bond we agree to take "the lease of
"the toddy in the Inam Jagheer, Pa
"and Kayengutta villages for the sa
"period and on the same conditions as
"those of the Government Contract wi
"proportionate increase in rates a
"that paid to Government". Thi
being the case we do not see
we can be called upon to pay
Inamdars more than 41 per cen
which is the proportionate incre
between our contract and that
of Messrs Taylor & Co.

When the Abkary Contract we

Campbell the Commissioner of the
Ashtagram Division ordered that a dedu
proportionate to this sum should be
made to the Inamdars; but on
a protest from them. Major Campbell
induced Messrs Taylor & Co to give
these men an advance of 20 per cent
on the then existing fixed rates
inasmuch as they received no extra
payment when Arunachalem
gave Government an increase of
Rs 6.6 p/y between October 1868
and 1st April 1870.

3 This extra 20 per cent we contend
is not binding on us, and we solicit
that the Chief Commissioner's orders
No. 2435 dated 19th June 1875. para 4.
be confirmed. Viz. "That the pro-
portionate increase" (between Messrs
Taylor & Co's and Brown & Co's contracts -
41 per cent) "payable to the
Inamdars should be computed"
with reference to the arrangements"
entered into with the Inamdars"
during the Contract which terminated
on the 31st October 1868."

This is no thanks simple & just
as it is unreasonable to suppose
that Inamdars can at any time
receive more than the Govern-

But Mr. Whitfield entirely alters the order - The increase to the Inamdars beyond what Edwards knew them must be exactly proportionate to the increase of Browns contract over Edwards not over Taylors - If he alters he may pay proportionately on Taylors or on Edwards - I believe it will be meaning the same total amount.

as shewn in para 17 of Notifica
calling for tenders.

When the Chief Commissio
passed orders on the 9th June 18
there was no occasion to carry
the increased rates back to th
Contract which terminated in
October 1868. unless it was th
that the extra 20 per cent gra
to Inamdars by Messrs Taylor
was to be struck off.

Our object is to shew clearly
that the 20 per cent given by
Messrs Taylor & Co was an act
of grace and not compulsor
It was to compensate Inamdar
for non participation in the
benefit Government received
from the Contract between Brown
1868 and 31st March 1870.

Soliciting that the subject of
the above remarks will receive
your due consideration.

I have
Sir
Your most Obedient Servants
Brown & Buchanan
Govt Abkarri Contractors

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To The Commissioner
Ashtagram Division
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Read letter No: 1160 of 18th March 1876 from Messrs Brown & Co: - Government Abkari Contractors, Surat District.

Order.

The Offg: Chief Commissr is unable to see that Messrs Brown & Co: will secure any advantage by having the proportionate increase computed on the amount of Messrs Taylor & Co's contract in lieu of, Messrs Edwards. In the former case, the ~~increase~~ amount payable to Ramdass will be 41 per cent, ~~in addition to the rate of increase viz 20 per cent paid by Messrs Taylor & Co. over Edwards & Co's Contract~~ beyond the sums actually paid, or due to them, by Messrs Taylor & Co, and as these latter sums were 20 per cent beyond what Messrs Edwards & Co paid to the Ramdass the result will be precisely the same, unless Messrs Taylor

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~~and if Messrs Brown & Co: desire that the increase should be so computed~~ the Chief Commissioner consents to the order contained in Proceedings No: 2435 dated 19th June Rev: 21 1875 (para 4) being of that date accordingly modified.

what they would have been with reference to the Amount of their contract than that of Messrs Edwards. If, however, Messrs Brown & Co desire that this ~~letter~~ Notification be adopted, which is in strict accordance with their contract, same be adopted.

Secretary.

To Comm[r] Ord[ce] Dep[t] Inspection
To Messrs Brown & Co:
Govt Ordnance Contractors
Inspection District.